

**State Senator** 

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## Valde Garcia

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Shiawassee-Livingston-Southern Ingham counties

# Legislative Update

BREAKING NEWS FROM SENATOR GARCIA'S OFFICE A Legislative Bulletin for Residents of the 22<sup>nd</sup> District

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BILL OF THE WEEK

SB 301: Organ Donation Symbol on driver's licenses



Legislation passed the senate this month that will allow organ donors to place a "heart logo" on the front of their driver's license or identification card indicating donor consent. The bill also requires the Secretary of State to create an organ donor registry.

#### NATIONAL GUARD LEGISLATION

State Senator Alan Sanborn, R-Richmond, introduced a bill this month that would provide life insurance coverage assistance to members of the Michigan National Guard. Members who are experiencing an extension of more than 45 consecutive days of active duty will be granted a \$250,000 life insurance policy by the state will have premium costs paid for as well.

## Numerous bills were introduced this week!

Should you wish to learn more about the proposed legislation, please visit www.michiganlegislature.org and enter the bill number where indicated. The website will provide you with the bill's language as introduced and an analysis describing how the bill will affect area industry, the economy and consumers.

Senator Garcia is eager to learn how you feel about proposed legislation. He welcomes your responses via e-mail at senvgarcia@senate.michigan.gov.

### **Event Update!!!!**

11<sup>th</sup> Annual Memorial Day Service May 26, 2005 10 a.m. at the Capitol



Please RSVP your attendance at (800) 516-0026.